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Applicant(s): Jason Zweiback, et al.

Invention: LITHOGRAPHIC METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING A MASK USED IN THE FABRICATION
OF A FIBER BRAGG GRATING

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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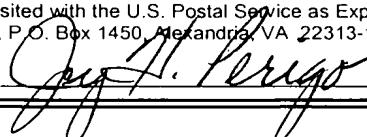
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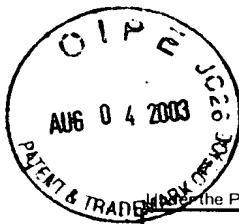
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1053	130	1053	130 Non-English specification
1812	2,520	1812	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
1804	920*	1804	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
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1251	110	2251	55 Extension for reply within first month
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1254	1,450	2254	725 Extension for reply within fourth month
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1401	320	2401	160 Notice of Appeal
1402	320	2402	160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	280	2403	140 Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	1451	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1452	110	2452	55 Petition to revive – unavoidable
1453	1,300	2453	650 Petition to revive - unintentional
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1503	630	2503	315 Plant issue fee
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1806	180	1806	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
8021	40	8021	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
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1810	750	2810	375 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.